

**Aquarius Utilities, LLC**  
**Agate West Storage Tank Upgrade Project**  
**Bid Date: March 31**

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**Request for Bids**

Notice is hereby given that Aquarius Utilities, LLC will receive sealed bids until 11:00 am, March 31, 2010, at which time all proposals will be publicly opened and read aloud at the office of Aquarius Utilities, LLC, at 23411 Rhododendron Lane NW, Poulsbo, WA, for construction of the Agate West Storage Tank Upgrade Project near Poulsbo, Kitsap County, WA.

Bids are asked for all necessary labor, equipment and materials required for a 20 ft. diameter X 30 ft. tall concrete standpipe; a 16 ft. X 24 ft. steel pump station and storage building; construction of a replacement 8-inch water supply well; new submersible pump for second well; decommissioning of two (2) existing wells; demolition of existing wood frame well house; two (2) new booster pumps with variable frequency drives; connecting water mains and appurtenances; new electrical and control system; two (2) 2 ½-inch pressure reducing stations; and distribution improvements including replacement of valve clusters and installation of six (6) 2-inch standpipe assemblies. Also included are site improvements on the 40ft x 250 ft. site, including clearing and grubbing, site grading, perimeter fencing, and crushed surfacing. Construction estimate: \$325,000.

Each bid shall be in accordance with the plans and specifications on file at the office of Aquarius Utilities, LLC, P.O. Box 1085 (mailing), 23411 Rhododendron Lane NW (delivery), Poulsbo, WA 98370, phone 360-779-1565, where copies may be obtained upon payment of \$60 non-refundable. Each bid shall be completed on the proposal form furnished with the specifications.

Each bid shall be accompanied by a certified check, bid bond or cash, made payable to Aquarius Utilities, LLC in the sum of 5% of the amount bid, to be forfeited to Aquarius Utilities, LLC in the event he fails to enter into contract within the time stated in the specifications. Aquarius Utilities, LLC reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive all informalities in the bidding.

This project is supported by a Drinking Water State Revolving Fund loan administered by the Washington Public Works Board and the Department of Health. Voluntary goals for utilization of disadvantaged businesses of 10% MBE and 6% WBE have been established.

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